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4 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
5 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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7 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

8 Plaintiff,

9 vs.

10 ANTHONY R. RIOS,

11 Defendant.

2:21-cr-00321-JCM-VCF

ORDER

12 Before the Court is the motion to dismiss counsel (ECF NO. 37). Mr. Rios personally filed the
13 motion (ECF No. 37) on his own behalf.

14 On June 4, 2021, the Federal Public Defender was appointed as counsel of record for defendant
15 Rios. (ECF No. 8). Mr. Rios filed the instant motion on his own behalf. (ECF No. 37).

16 Pursuant to Local Rule IA 11-6(a), “[a] party who has appeared by attorney cannot while so
17 represented appear or act in the case. This means that once an attorney makes an appearance on behalf of
18 a party, that party may not personally file a document with the court; all filings must thereafter be made
19 by the attorney.” Defendant may not file a document on his own behalf. *See* Local Rule IA 11-6(a).

20 Accordingly,

21 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the motion to dismiss counsel (ECF NO. 37) is STRICKEN.

22 DATED this 25th day of May 2022.

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24 CAM FERENBACH
25 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE